

AGM-114 Hellfire missiles. Also included were communication equipment, electronic warfare systems, M197 20mm machine guns, Target Sight System, support equipment, spare engine containers, spare and repair parts, tools and test equipment, technical data and publications, personnel training and training equipment, U.S. government and contractor engineering, technical, and logistics support services, and other related elements of logistics and program support. The total estimated program cost was \$205 million. Major Defense Equipment (MDE) constituted \$180 million of this total.

On August 4, 2020, Congress was notified by Congressional certification transmittal number 01-20 of the addition of forty-four (44) AGM-114A Hellfire Missiles; four (4) M36E8 Inert Hellfire Captive Air Training Missiles (CATMs); twelve (12) 7.62MM M240D Machine Guns; and one hundred fourteen (114) Advanced Precision Kill Weapon System II (APKWS-II) WGU-59/B Guidance Sections. The estimated value of these MDE items was \$9.7 million and resulted in an increase of the estimated MDE cost to \$189.7 million. The total case value increased to \$214.7 million.

This transmittal reports the replacement of fifty-eight (58) AGM-114A Hellfire Missiles (MDE) with fifty-eight (58) AGM-114R (NN) Hellfire Missiles (MDE); four (4) M36E8 Inert Hellfire Captive Air Training Missiles (CATMs) (MDE) with four (4) M36E9 Inert Hellfire CATMs (MDE); and one hundred fourteen (114) Advanced Precision Kill Weapon System (APKWS-II) WGU-59/B Guidance Sections (MDE) with one hundred fourteen (114) Advanced Precision Kill Weapon System (APKWS-II) WGU-59/B Guidance Sections (Single Variant) (MDE). No additional quantities will be provided. The estimated MDE value will remain \$189.7 million. The total case value will remain \$214.7 million.

(iv) Significance: These proposed weapons systems will augment the Czech Republic's multi-mission, multi-role helicopters, increasing the Czech Republic's ability to meet current and future threats.

(v) Justification: The proposed sale will support the foreign policy and national security objectives of the United States by improving the security of a NATO ally that is an important force for political stability and economic progress in Europe. It is vital to U.S. national interests to assist the Czech Republic in developing and maintaining a strong and ready self-defense capability.

(vi) Sensitivity of Technology: The AGM-114R Hellfire Missile is an air-to-surface missile with a multi-mission, multi-target, precision strike capability. The M36E9 is an inert Hellfire Captive Air Training Missile.

The Advanced Precision Kill Weapon System (APKWS) is an air-to ground weapon that consists of an APKWS Guidance Section (GS), legacy 2.75-inch MK66 Mod 4 rocket motor, and legacy MK152 and MK435/436 warhead/fuze. The APKWS is a tactical rocket system that can be launched from several platforms, offering multi-mission, multi-target capability and precision-strike lethality. These guided rockets are steered to the target by following reflected laser beam energy directed onto the target either by the launching aircraft, a second aircraft, or ground-based troops operating a laser designator.

The highest level of classification of defense articles, components, and services included in this potential sale is SECRET.

(vii) Date Report Delivered to Congress: June 22, 2022.

#### ARMS SALES NOTIFICATION

Mr. MENENDEZ. Mr. President, section 36(b) of the Arms Export Control

Act requires that Congress receive prior notification of certain proposed arms sales as defined by that statute. Upon such notification, the Congress has 30 calendar days during which the sale may be reviewed. The provision stipulates that, in the Senate, the notification of proposed sales shall be sent to the chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee.

In keeping with the committee's intention to see that relevant information is available to the full Senate, I ask unanimous consent to have printed in the RECORD the notifications which have been received. If the cover letter references a classified annex, then such annex is available to all Senators in the office of the Foreign Relations Committee, room SD-423.

There being no objection, the material was ordered to be printed in the RECORD, as follows:

DEFENSE SECURITY  
COOPERATION AGENCY,  
Arlington, VA.

Hon. ROBERT MENENDEZ,  
Chairman, Committee on Foreign Relations,  
U.S. Senate, Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. CHAIRMAN: Pursuant to the reporting requirements of Section 36(b)(5)(C) of the Arms Export Control Act (AECA), as amended, we are forwarding Transmittal No. 22-0H. This notification relates to enhancements or upgrades from the level of sensitivity of technology or capability described in the Section 36(b)(1) AECA certification 14-54 of October 6, 2014.

Sincerely,

JAMES A. HURSCH,  
Director.

Enclosures.

TRANSMITTAL NO. 22-0H

*Report of Enhancement or Upgrade of Sensitivity of Technology or Capability (Sec. 36(b)(5)(C), AECA)*

(i) Purchaser: Government of Estonia.

(ii) Sec. 36(b)(1), AECA Transmittal No.: 14-54; Date: October 6, 2014; Implementing Agency: Army.

Funding Source: National Funds.

(iii) Description: On October 6, 2014, Congress was notified by Congressional certification transmittal number 14-54, of the possible sale, under Section 36(b)(1) of the Arms Export Control Act, of three hundred fifty (350) Javelin Guided Missiles, one hundred twenty (120) Command Launch Units (CLU) with Integrated Day/Thermal Sight, one hundred two (102) Battery Coolant Units, sixteen (16) Enhanced Performance Basic Skills Trainers (EPBST), one hundred two (102) Missile Simulation Rounds (MSR), spare and repair parts, rechargeable and non-rechargeable batteries, battery chargers and dischargers, support equipment, publications and technical data, personnel training and training equipment, U.S. Government and contractor representative engineering, technical and logistics support services, and other related logistics support. The estimated total cost was \$55 million. Major Defense Equipment (MDE) constituted \$42 million of this total.

On February 21, 2019, Congress was notified by Congressional certification transmittal number 19-0D, of the inclusion of an additional one hundred thirty (130) Javelin Block 1 (FGM-148) missiles (MDE). The addition of these items resulted in a revised total MDE cost of \$75.6 million. The total estimated case value increased to \$91 million.

This transmittal reports the inclusion of an additional one hundred fifty-six (156) Jav-

elin Block 1 (FGM-148F) missiles (MDE). This inclusion will result in a revised MDE value of \$111.6 million. The total estimated case value will increase to \$127 million.

(iv) Significance: Estonia plays an important role in strengthening deterrence capabilities on the northeastern flank of NATO. Sale of the requested items will significantly enhance this NATO partner's ability to counter threats posed by armored and hardened targets, greatly increasing NATO's overall security, and providing a demonstrable deterrent effect.

(v) Justification: This proposed sale will support the foreign policy and national security of the United States by improving the security of a NATO Ally that continues to be an important force for political stability and economic progress in Europe.

(vi) Sensitivity of Technology: The Sensitivity of Technology statement contained in the original notification applies to items reported here.

The highest level of classification of defense articles, components, and services included in this potential sale is UNCLASSIFIED.

(vii) Date Report Delivered to Congress: June 22, 2022.

#### ARMS SALES NOTIFICATION

Mr. MENENDEZ. Mr. President, section 36(b) of the Arms Export Control Act requires that Congress receive prior notification of certain proposed arms sales as defined by that statute. Upon such notification, the Congress has 30 calendar days during which the sale may be reviewed. The provision stipulates that, in the Senate, the notification of proposed sales shall be sent to the chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee.

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DEFENSE SECURITY  
COOPERATION AGENCY,  
Arlington, VA.

Hon. ROBERT MENENDEZ,  
Chairman, Committee on Foreign Relations,  
U.S. Senate, Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. CHAIRMAN: Pursuant to the reporting requirements of Section 36(b)(1) of the Arms Export Control Act, as amended, we are forwarding herewith Transmittal No. 22-17, concerning the Air Force's proposed Letter(s) of Offer and Acceptance to NATO Support and Procurement Agency (NSPA) as Lead Nation for defense articles and services estimated to cost \$22.7 million. After this letter is delivered to your office, we plan to issue a news release to notify the public of this proposed sale.

Sincerely,

JAMES A. HURSCH,  
Director.

Enclosures.

TRANSMITTAL NO. 22-17

Notice of Proposed Issuance of Letter of Offer Pursuant to Section 36(b)(1) of the Arms Export Control Act, as amended

(i) Prospective Purchaser: NATO Support and Procurement Agency (NSPA) as Lead